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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

Cao et al.

Confirmation No.: 5365

Application No.: 10/543,033

Art Unit: 1637

Filed: January 21, 2004

Examiner: Mummert, Stephanie Kane

For:

METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING COMPOUNDS THAT

Attorney Docket No.: 10589-012-999

MODULATE UNTRANSLATED REGION-

DEPENDENT GENE EXPRESSION AND METHODS

OF USING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2008 be extended for a period of five (5) months from June 16, 2008 up to and including Sunday, November 16, 2008.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,175.00 (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

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